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Applicants : Harold R. Blomquist et al.
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FOR AN IGNITER
Group Art Unit : 3641
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 2, 2002
please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 1 as follows:

1. (Amended) An electrically actuatable igniter
comprising:

02/26/2002 CCOFER 00000001 200090 09634384 a pair of electrodes;

01 FC:102 84.00 CH a heating element electrically connected between
02 FC:103 72.00 CH said electrodes; and

an ignition material in contact with said heating
element, said ignition material comprising a mixture of a

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